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BW would be the application of Ginsburg's techniques to the production of virulent pathogens for use as agents or the production of attenuated strains for vaccines and/or inactivation of the pathogenic strains for production of vaccines.

3. In source's opinion the organization, administration, and purpose of the Soviet BW program might be as follows:³
 - a. The First Chief Directorate of the Council of Ministers would head the over-all program and would operate through each "Secret Section" of the Health, Agriculture, and Defense ministries.
 - b. The First Chief Directorate would have a small staff of full-time research administrators and planners with a large group of consultants from various ministries and institutes.
 - c. Existing microbiological institutes would be used for segments of BW development.
 - d. No large-scale BW development project would be in progress in the USSR.
 - e. BW would be used as a means of sabotage rather than as a large-scale strategic operation.

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